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OF
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REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN,

For the Year ending February 15, 1908.

VALUATION OF THE TOWN, APRIL 1, 1907.

Real estate,	\$365,160 00
234 polls,	23,400 00
316 horses,	27,590 00
32 oxen,	1,965 00
421 cows,	12,966 00
170 neat,	4,443 00
307 sheep,	1,268 00
32 carriages,	3,155 00
Stock in banks,	9,100 00
Money on hand at interest,	32,860 00
Stock in trade,	17,920 00
Mills and machinery,	18,800 00
Timber, wood, logs, and lumber,	19,558 00
Stock in corporations, out of,	12,150 00
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	\$550,335 00

Rate of taxation, \$1.43 on \$100.

AMOUNT OF TAX REQUIRED BY LAW AND VOTE OF TOWN.

State tax,	\$885 00
County tax,	958 83
School tax,	1,500 00
Highway tax,	2,400 00

Town charges,	1,000 00
School supplies,	100 00
School committee,	100 00
Town bonds and interest,	418 00
Interest on Kingsbury fund,	36 36
Public library,	53 00
Repairs on cemeteries,	200 00
Percentage,	218 79
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	\$7,869 98

ORDERS DRAWN TO PAY TOWN OFFICERS.

M. E. Knight, services as selectman, 1906,	\$75 00
M. L. Richardson, services as selectman, 1906,	60 00
C. F. Pierce, services as selectman, 1906,	65 00
John F. Dickey, services as auditor, 1906,	2 00
L. P. Forristall, services as auditor, 1906,	2 00
John N. Hodskins, digging two graves,	10 00
Hiram E. Page, services as special police,	2 00
Charles E. Blanchard, services as dog constable,	4 70
Charles L. Brackett, services as constable,	2 00
John H. Dickey, services as clerk of school district,	2 00
Fred L. Prentiss, services as town clerk,	25 00
E. M. Smith, services as moderator,	3 00
C. M. Dodge, services as supervisor,	5 00
John P. Kemp, services as supervisor,	5 00
C. J. Newell, services as supervisor,	5 00
C. M. Dodge, services as constable,	2 00
James S. Prouty, services as overseer of poor and expenses,	25 00
Fred J. Marvin, services as town treasurer,	45 00
Fred J. Marvin, services as treasurer of school district,	10 00
Fred J. Marvin, services as janitor of town hall,	30 00
Elizabeth O. Rogers, services as librarian,	20 00

Fred B. Trow, services as sexton, driving hearse and digging graves,	37 00
W. W. Dinsmore, services as tax collector,	80 00
C. J. Newell, services as member of school board,	14 00
Charles L. Linsley, services as member of school board,	25 00
George A. Mayo, services as member of school board,	25 00
Fred J. Marvin, salary of school superintendent,	137 50
Fred J. Marvin, balance salary of school superin- tendent,	137 50
Charles Wilder, digging one grave,	3 00
John N. Hodskins, digging three graves,	9 00
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	\$867 70

ORDERS DRAWN TO PAY ORDINARY TOWN CHARGES.

Sentinel Printing Co., printing town reports and vacancy of office blanks,	\$33 35
Fred J. Marvin, cash paid for order book road agent,	1 50
E. M. Smith, services and expenses on Tucker bridge hearing,	125 00
Edson C. Eastman, invoice and record book,	18 25
S. G. Anderson, setting flag pole at Forristall's district,	1 65
E. M. Currier, repairing hearse and painting guide boards,	32 00
John McCrillis, administrator of A. S. Waite es- tate, services on Tucker bridge hearing,	12 00
C. M. Dodge, labor and cash paid for labor on watering trough and sharpening drills,	10 75
Charles Ellis, abatement for watering trough,	2 00
Fred L. Prentiss, returning 623 births, deaths and marriages at 5c each,	31 15
C. J. Newell, surveying and map of new highway,	2 50
Flora E. Kingsbury, land damage for new highway,	45 00
B. T. Mousley, returning births, deaths and mar- riages, 1905-1906-1907,	5 00

W. H. Spalter, collector's book,	2 50
Fred L. Prentiss, recording births, deaths and marriages,	5 85
Fred L. Prentiss, express, 3 invoice books and stationery,	3 07
James S. Prouty, cash paid for safe deposit box for Warren fund,	2 00
Fall Mt. Electric Light and Power Co., lighting town hall from Feb. 1, 1907, to Feb. 1, 1908,	32 84
E. M. Smith, retaining fee,	10 00
E. M. Smith, insuring town hall,	30 00
S. A. Mitchell, disinfecting at Royce's, and Mous- ley's, cash paid for team and postage,	6 00
E. P. Hatch, estate, abatement for watering trough, 7 months,	1 75
John P. Kemp, abatement for watering trough,	2 00
Harland J. Pratt, abatement for watering trough,	2 00
J. A. Rawson, abatement for watering trough, 10 months,	2 50
W. O. Blake, abatement for watering trough,	2 00
L. K. Osburn, estate, abatement for watering trough,	2 00
Isaac Craig, abatement for 2 watering troughs,	4 00
Mike Negenewecz, abatement for watering trough,	2 00
Charles E. Blanchard, care of clock,	13 00
Ira Colby & Son, services and personal expenses and cash paid for printing brief, and tele- phoning in bridge case,	115 00
M. E. Knight, express, telephoning and stamps,	2 70
Mrs. C. H. Cooke, land damage for new highway,	150 00
W. H. Spalter, order and receipt book, 1905,	75
Fred J. Marvin, literary fund for schools,	93 94
R. F. Oliver, disinfecting and material used,	3 50
W. W. Dinsmore, abatements on the following taxes:	
Mr. Nichols, \$7.87; A. Seppala, \$1.43; Mike Nalaskecz, \$1.43; Ben Matutatus, \$1.43; E. Porter, \$1.79; G. Peno, \$1.79; J. A. Dunlop, \$1.43,	17 17

Fred J. Marvin, cash paid for tuning piano,	2 50
Lucy W. Osborn, abatement for overtax,	1 57
Sarah Willard, abatement for overtax,	10 01
Fred J. Marvin, supplies for town hall as per bills of Anderson, Page and Marvin,	24 20
Fred J. Marvin, balance of Mary A. Wells fund for schools,	9 35
Fred J. Marvin, balance of dog license,	57 30
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	\$931 65

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Amount raised by vote of town,	\$1,594 50
Frank J. Leach, labor and cash paid for labor and material,	400 00
A. A. Clark, labor and cash paid for breaking roads,	81 49
Frank J. Leach, labor and cash paid for labor and material,	968 34
Frank J. Leach, labor and cash paid for labor to Feb. 15, 1908,	52 63
Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1908,	92 04
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	\$1,594 50

STATE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

Town contribution,	\$805 50
State contribution,	322 00
Balance in town treasury, 1906,	90 26
Balance in state treasury, 1906,	36 11
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Total joint fund,	\$1,253 87
Paid by state to town,	\$329 90
G. H. Caughey, removing ledge, 1906,	\$185 50

C. F. Pierce, labor, cash paid for labor and material, 1907,	1,040 16
Town disbursements,	\$1,225 66
State disbursements,	28 21
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ORDERS DRAWN FOR SUPPORT OF COUNTY PAUPERS.

James S. Prouty, support of county paupers to April, 1907,	\$35 18
James S. Prouty, support of county paupers to October, 1907,	144 04
James S. Prouty, support of county paupers,	148 53
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ORDERS DRAWN FOR SUPPORT OF TOWN PAUPERS.

James S. Prouty, cash paid for support of town paupers,	\$129 97
James S. Prouty, cash paid for support of town paupers,	71 74
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ORDERS DRAWN FOR COUNTY DEPENDENT SOLDIERS.

James S. Prouty, aid paid dependent soldiers to April, 1907,	\$15 11
James S. Prouty, aid paid dependent soldiers to October, 1907,	66 00
James S. Prouty, aid paid dependent soldiers,	5 00
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ORDERS DRAWN FOR TOWN DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND FAMILIES.

James S. Prouty, aid paid town dependent soldiers,	\$60 00
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TOWN LIBRARY.

Fred J. Marvin, appropriation for town library,	\$53 00
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SHEEP KILLED BY DOGS,

W. E. Roy, damage on account of sheep killed by dogs,	\$8 00
Henry O. Porter, damage on account of sheep killed by dogs,	3 00
Lewis Demerse, damage on account of sheep killed by dogs,	19 00
John Allen, damage on account of sheep killed by dogs,	18 00
John W. Britton, damage on account of sheep killed by dogs,	15 00
	\$63 00

REPAIRS OF CEMETERIES.

Amount raised by vote of town,	\$200 00
Balance reported in treasury, Feb. 15, 1907,	184 63
	\$384 63
Frank J. Leach, Supt., labor and cash paid for labor,	\$9 00
Frank J. Leach, Supt., labor and cash paid for labor,	30 75
	\$39 75
Balance in treasury, Feb. 15, 1908,	\$344 88
	\$384 63

GIFT FOR IMPROVEMENT OF NORTH CEMETERY AT EAST ALSTEAD.

Balance reported in treasury, Feb. 15, 1907,	\$123 25
Frank J. Leach, Supt., labor and cash paid on fence,	6 09
Balance in treasury, Feb. 15, 1908,	117 16
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	\$123 25

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand, Feb. 15, 1907,	\$1,477 86
Received during the year,	7,843 90
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	\$9,321 76

DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount paid during the year,	\$7,634 96
Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1908,	1,686 80
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	\$9,321 76

RECEIPTS IN DETAIL.

Available cash in treasury,	\$1,477 86
Cash received from county for support of county paupers,	280 91
Cash received from county aid paid to county dependent soldiers,	143 50
Cash received from Fred J. Marvin for rent of town hall,	55 00
Cash received from J. F. Dickey for rent of grange hall,	40 00
Cash received from W. S. Hancock Post for rent of post room,	10 00
Cash received from state for savings bank tax,	319 03

Cash received from Harry Cogell for burial lot,	5 00
Cash received from state for literary fund,	93 94
Cash received from state for school fund,	137 50
Cash received from Fred L. Prentiss for dog license,	\$125 00
Cash received for interest on cemetery funds,	24 85
Cash received from W. W. Dinsmore amount of town warrant,	6,133 62
Cash received from W. W. Dinsmore for interest on taxes,	5 45
Cash received from W. W. Dinsmore for added tax,	37 07
Cash received from state board license commis- sioners,	94 82
Cash received from state for railroad tax,	56
Cash received from state highway department,	329 90
Cash received for pedlers' license,	4 00
Cash received from J. F. Dickey for grass around town hall,	1 00
Cash received from B. Van Wagenen for two stone steps,	2 00
Cash received from J. S. Prouty, potatoes from D. Pratt farm,	75
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	\$9,321 76

DISBURSEMENTS IN DETAIL.

State tax,	\$885 00
County tax,	958 83
Eleazer Porter, for bonds,	400 00
Eleazer Porter, for coupons on bonds,	18 00
Orders issued by selectmen for town charges,	5,373 13
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	\$7,634 96

LIABILITIES.

Due on cemetery trust fund,	50 05
Due on Kingsbury fund,	606 00

Due on cemetery fund,	344 88
Due on improvement gift,	117 16
Due on highways and bridges,	92 04
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	\$1,210 13

ASSETS.

Due from county for aid to county paupers,	\$148 53
Due from county for aid to dependent soldiers,	5 00
Due from bridge petitioners,	13 27
Due from Abbie Lovell cemetery fund,	2 00
Due from Francis Gibson cemetery fund,	75
Cash on hand, Feb. 15, 1908,	1,686 80
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	\$1,856 35

INDEBTEDNESS.

Assets, Feb. 15, 1908,	\$1,856 35
Liabilities, Feb. 15, 1908,	1,210 13
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Balance of surplus,	\$646 22

ESTIMATED EXPENSES FOR 1908.

State tax,	\$900 00
County tax,	1,000 00
Schools,	1,750 00
Roads,	2,500 00
Town charges,	1,000 00

Respectfully submitted,

M. E. KNIGHT,

M. L. RICHARDSON,

C. F. PIERCE,

Selectmen of Alstead.

We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the selectmen and find them correctly cast and balanced and with proper vouchers therefor.

L. P. FORRISTALL,
FRANK DEWING,
Auditors for the town of Alstead.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF WARREN FUND.

The principal is invested in Stowe, Vt., Berlin, N. H., and Poultney, Vt., town bonds, and the sinking fund is deposited in the Savings Bank of Walpole.

Interest account as follows:

Cash received for interest,	\$184 50
Paid Martin L. Richardson,	2 50
Amount set aside for sinking fund,	39 12

\$41 62

Balance paid F. J. Marvin, treasurer, for benefit of schools,	\$142 88
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JAMES S. PROUTY,
JOHN F. DICKEY,
MARTIN L. RICHARDSON,
Trustees of Warren Fund.

Report of Selectmen for Cemetery Trust Funds.

Principal is deposited in the Savings Bank of Walpole:	
Dividend on funds,	\$24 85
For work on Holbrook lot,	\$2 00
For work on Kimball lot,	2 00
For work on Mary A. Wells lot,	1 50
F. J. Marvin, treasurer, balance of Mary A. Wells fund for schools,	9 35
Balance in treasury, Feb. 15, 1908,	10 00
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	\$24 85

Balance reported in treasury, 1907,	\$40 50
Balance in treasury, 1908,	10 00
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	\$50 05
To this fund has been added:	
From Dr. Francis Gibson estate,	\$100 00
From Abbie A. Lovell estate,	200 00
From Martha A. Brown estate,	<u>200 00</u>
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	\$800 00
Deposited in the Savings Bank of Walpole,	<u>800 00</u>

Report of Selectmen on Kimball Fund.

Amount of Kimball fund with interest as follows:

Deposited in the Savings Bank of Walpole, principal and interest to July, 1907,	\$1,080 57
Deposited in Amoskeag Savings Bank, principal and interest to July, 1907,	944 44

M. E. KNIGHT,
M. L. RICHARDSON,
C. F. PIERCE,
Selectmen of Alstead.

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR.

TOWN PAUPERS.

Davis Bros., crackers and cheese for tramps,	\$1 23
Davis Bros., goods furnished Daniel Pratt,	1 27
W. P. Craig, medical attendance Daniel Pratt,	10 00
Sidney S. Pratt, care, food and wood for Daniel Pratt,	15 30
Emma Phillips, labor at Daniel Pratt,	6 50
Geo. E. Pratt, wood and care for Daniel Pratt,	2 50
Shepardson & Pollard, crackers and cheese for tramps,	50
Cash, medicine for Daniel Pratt,	25
R. F. Oliver, medical attendance Daniel Pratt,	18 00
Cash for Daniel Pratt,	5 00
R. F. Oliver, medical attendance Daniel Pratt,	32 25
Shepardson & Pollard, goods furnished Daniel Pratt,	15 55
H. P. Abbott, meat furnished Daniel Pratt,	7 62
R. F. Oliver, medical attendance Daniel Pratt,	14 00
L. P. Forristall, wood furnished Daniel Pratt,	1 50
A. A. Clark, digging potatoes for Daniel Pratt,	1 25
Sidney S. Pratt, care of Daniel Pratt,	5 00
Sidney S. Pratt, wood furnished Daniel Pratt,	6 00
Sidney S. Pratt, wood furnished Daniel Pratt,	3 00
Sidney S. Pratt, haying for Daniel Pratt,	3 00
Shepardson & Pollard, goods furnished Daniel Pratt,	7 39
H. B. Chapin, taking Daniel Pratt to Walpole and ticket to Westmoreland,	1 65
H. P. Abbott, meat furnished Daniel Pratt,	5 40

W. J. Hall, casket and funeral expenses for	
Daniel Pratt,	24 50
Shepardson & Pollard, crackers and cheese for tramps,	4 55
H. B. Chapin, for lodging tramps,	8 50
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	\$201 71

COUNTY PAUPERS.

G. H. Burroughs, support of Samuel Willis,	\$11 75
F. J. Marvin, guardian, support of Joanna Clark,	13 43
J. J. Osterhout, medical attendance in George	
Alexander's family,	10 00
Cash paid taking Mrs. C. Howard to Westmoreland,	2 33
Mary Pratt, support of self,	5 00
Mrs. Geo. Hatch, for board and care of Mrs. C. Howard,	5 50
Mary Pratt, support of self,	5 00
Mary Pratt, support of self,	5 00
Geo. H. Burroughs, support of Samuel Willis,	45 50
F. J. Marvin, guardian, support of Joanna Clark,	52 00
Mary Pratt, support of self,	10 71
R. F. Oliver, medical attendance in Geo. Alex-	
ander's family,	13 00
Mary Pratt, support of self,	10 00
H. B. Chapin, taking Mary Pratt to Walpole and	
ticket to Westmoreland,	1 65
B. T. Mousley, medical attendance in Geo. Alex-	
ander's family,	15 95
H. P. Abbott, meat furnished Geo. Alexander's	
family,	1 63
Shepardson & Pollard, goods furnished Geo. Alex-	
ander's family,	19 33
E. P. Kidder, wood furnished Geo. Alexander's	
family,	4 75
Mrs. S. J. Fish, goods furnished Geo. Alexander's	
family,	5 00
Geo. H. Burroughs, support of Samuel Willis,	38 85

F. J. Marvin, guardian, support of Joanna Clark,	48 57
John W. Britton, wood furnished Geo. Alexander's family,	1 50
Henry Thayer, potatoes furnished Geo. Alexander's family,	1 30
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	\$327 75

COUNTY—AID DEPENDENT SOLDIERS.

J. H. Dickey, goods furnished Chas. Moulthroup,	\$15 11
J. H. Dickey, goods furnished Chas. Moulthroup,	58 50
B. T. Mousley, medical attendance for Chas. Moulthroup's family,	7 50
Mrs. A. A. Cady, for support of F. F. Smith,	5 00
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	\$86 11

TOWN—AID DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND
THEIR FAMILIES.

Mrs. Phebe Tebo, care of Emily Peno,	\$28 00
Mrs. Phebe Tebo, care of Emily Peno,	24 00
H. B. Chapin, taking Emily Peno to Unity,	3 00
Geo. F. Lewis, wood furnished Emily Peno,	2 50
Geo. F. Lewis, wood furnished Emily Peno,	2 50
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	\$60 00

Respectfully submitted,

J. S. PROUTY.

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT,

For the Year ending February 15, 1908.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1907,	\$1,477 86
W. W. Dinsmore, collector,	6,133 62
W. W. Dinsmore, added tax,	37 07
W. W. Dinsmore, interest on tax,	5 45
Overseer of poor,	280 91
Overseer of poor, dependent soldier claims,	143 50
Overseer of poor, potatoes sold from Daniel Pratt farm,	75
F. L. Prentiss, town clerk, license on dogs,	125 00
License commissioners,	94 82
Cemetery funds,	24 85
W. A. Dean, state engineer,	329 90
Peddler's license,	4 00
Rent town hall,	55 00
Rent Grange hall,	40 00
Rent G. A. R. hall,	10 00
Literary fund,	93 94
School fund,	137 50
Savings bank tax,	319 03
Railroad tax,	56
Grass from town house lot,	1 00
Bleeker Van Wagenen, stone steps,	2 00
H. E. Cogall,	5 00
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	\$9,321 76

EXPENDITURES.

Paid orders of selectmen,	\$5,373 13
Paid state tax,	885 00
Paid county tax,	958 83
Paid town bond and interest,	418 00
Cash on hand, February 15, 1908,	1,686 80
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	\$9,321 76

Respectfully submitted,

F. J. MARVIN,
Treasurer.

We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we have examined the books of the town treasurer and find them correctly cast and balanced with proper vouchers therefor.

L. P. FORRISTALL,
FRANK DEWING,
Auditors for the town of Alstead.

ALSTEAD VILLAGE DISTRICT REPORT.

Receipts:

Cash on hand, February 15, 1907,	\$11 27
Received of W. W. Dinsmore, collector,	489 21
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	\$500 48

Expenditures:

Paid Fall Mountain Electric Light and Power Co.,	\$480 00
Paid W. W. Dinsmore, collector, abatement of taxes,	3 03
Cash on hand, February 15, 1908,	17 45
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	\$500 48

F. J. MARVIN,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF ROAD COMMISSIONER, 1907-8.

LABOR AND CASH PAID FOR REPAIRING ROADS, MARCH, 1907.

F. J. Leach, labor,	\$11 10
E. G. Buswell, plowing walks,	1 00
P. L. Britton, breaking roads,	3 60
C. F. Pierce, labor,	1 00
E. P. Hatch, labor,	15

APRIL.

F. J. Leach, labor,	\$18 00
Elgin Nash, labor,	3 60
J. L. Nash, with team,	3 50
E. P. Hatch, labor,	1 95

MAY.

F. J. Leach, labor and cash paid out,	\$48 50
H. P. March, labor,	1 50
Jasper Smith, labor,	27 00
Elgin Nash, labor,	15 45
J. H. Dickey, tools, bolts, etc.,	6 72
John Blanchard, labor,	15 00
Frank Lyman, labor,	13 50
G. F. Lewis, men and team,	139 00
L. P. Forristall, bridge plank,	12 39
W. R. Howard, labor,	15 75
J. L. Nash, labor,	5 10
Fred J. Clark, labor,	13 65
Kent & Dodge, repairing road machine,	6 00

Grover Clark, labor,	6 15
Frank Clark, labor,	9 50
C. F. Pierce, labor,	4 00
C. J. Gates, with team,	19 00
George Savory, gravel,	1 10
C. J. Newell, bridge plank,	2 73

JUNE.

F. J. Leach, labor,	\$48 00
F. J. Leach, cash paid out for repairs,	3 00
John Blanchard, labor,	1 50
Jasper Smith, labor,	26 25
Frank Clark, labor,	29 75
Fred J. Clark, labor,	24 00
Grover Clark, labor,	10 50
George Peno, labor,	18 75
H. C. Cogell, with team,	49 75
Charles Blake, labor and lumber,	10 56
W. O. Blake, labor and timber,	7 00
L. P. Forristall, bridge plank,	8 34
C. F. Pierce, with team,	26 50
C. G. Webster, labor,	9 00
A. L. Timothy, labor,	9 00
A. M. French, with team,	14 75
H. L. Osborne, labor,	10 43
Stanley Osborne, labor,	10 43
G. F. Lewis, with men and team,	64 00
C. J. Gates, with men and team,	15 50
W. L. Gowan, team,	2 00
W. R. Howard, labor,	39 35
Spencer Hardware Co., tile,	2 24
S. D. Tinker, tile,	1 80

JULY.

F. J. Leach, labor,	\$9 50
L. P. Forristall, bridge plank,	6 14
Howard Hardware Co., tile,	5 15

C. F. Pierce, labor,	5 75
C. J. Gates, labor,	50

AUGUST.

F. J. Leach, labor,	\$41 40
Fred J. Clark, labor,	8 00
George Alexander, labor,	3 75
C. F. Pierce, labor,	15 50
H. P. March, labor,	11 10
William Moultroup, labor,	19 15
George Whitney, with team,	60 00
John Blanchard, labor,	6 00
E. P. Hatch, labor,	8 28
Howard Hardware Co., tile,	2 88
Porter Peabody, bridge plank,	42 42
Albert Clough, labor,	90
A. M. French, with team,	12 00
E. B. Rhodes, labor,	3 00
Grover Clark, labor,	6 00
A. L. Timothy, labor,	7 50
C. G. Webster, labor,	6 00
C. J. Gates, men and team,	16 50
L. P. Forristall, bridge plank,	23 86
W. R. Howard, labor,	15 75
Fred Prentiss, gravel,	70

SEPTEMBER.

F. J. Leach, labor,	\$9 95
Frank Clark, with team,	12 00
Guy Dodge, labor,	1 50
Howard Hardware Co., tile,	5 19
W. R. Howard, labor,	10 00
E. P. Hatch, estate, labor,	2 50
C. F. Pierce, labor,	4 00

OCTOBER.

F. J. Leach, labor,	\$15 40
C. J. Gates, labor,	1 50

Mayland Ellis, labor,	1 50
J. P. Kemp, labor,	4 35
P. L. Britton, with team,	10 50
G. F. Lewis, with team,	14 00
Guy Dodge, labor,	1 50
W. W. Dinsmore, with team,	5 00
Wilson Colburn, labor,	3 20
M. F. Greene, with team,	2 80

NOVEMBER.

F. J. Leach, labor,	\$26 00
C. G. Webster, labor,	12 00
H. P. March, labor,	9 00
Frank Clark, with team,	2 50
Julius Porter, labor,	2 50
J. L. Nash, labor,	7 05
W. R. Howard, labor,	11 15
E. P. Hatch, estate, labor,	2 92
Harry Jewett, labor and gravel,	8 05
C. F. Pierce, labor,	3 78
M. D. Royce, labor and plank,	9 60

DECEMBER.

F. J. Leach, labor,	\$5 25
C. F. Pierce, labor,	90
W. R. Howard, labor,	1 25
E. C. Eastman Co., order books,	1 60

JANUARY.

F. J. Leach, labor,	\$8 25
M. E. Knight, labor,	2 00
J. L. Nash, labor,	1 00
C. F. Pierce, labor,	2 50

FEBRUARY.

F. J. Leach, labor,	\$2 75
J. L. Nash, cleaning walks,	1 00
John Britton, breaking roads,	1 68
Sidney Pratt, breaking roads,	1 05

Gaylor Howard, breaking roads,	2 40
Frank Clark, breaking roads,	2 63
M. E. Knight, labor,	75
C. F. Pierce, labor,	75
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	\$1,420 97
Orders drawn on selectmen,	\$1,420 97
Amount raised for highways and bridges,	\$1,594 50
Orders drawn by F. J. Leach,	1,420 97
Order drawn by A. A. Clark,	81 49
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	\$1,502 46
Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1908,	\$92 04

Respectfully submitted,

F. J. LEACH,

Road Commissioner of the town of Alstead.

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1908.

RECEIPTS.

Cash received of W. W. Dinsmore, collector,	\$1,736 36
Trustees Warren fund,	142 88
Literary fund,	93 94
School fund,	275 00
Balance dog license,	57 30
Mary A. Wells, cemetery fund for school,	9 35
Tuition from Marlow,	5 00
Grass sold, No. 12,	50
Cash advanced by school board to balance overdraft,	260 00
	<hr style="width: 20%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> \$2,580 33

EXPENDITURES.

Amount of orders issued by school board,	\$2,565 76
Cash on hand February 15, 1908,	\$14 57

F. J. MARVIN,
School Treasurer.

We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the treasurer of the school district of the town of Alstead and find them correctly cast and balanced with proper vouchers therefor.

L. P. FORRISTALL,
FRANK DEWING,
Auditors for the school district of Alstead.

ORDERS ISSUED BY SCHOOL BOARD.

Nettie M. Messer, telephoning,	\$0 30
G. A. Lakin, wood, No. 13,	2 50
Shepardson & Pollard, window shades,	1 84
Herbert Jones, wood, No. 13,	2 00
Shepardson & Pollard, brooms,	60
H. W. Raymond, cleaning rooms,	5 00
Emma Ryley, teaching, No. 12,	24 00
Frank Nagenavish, janitor,	80
Mae O'Brien, teaching, No. 12,	20 00
Edyth Putney, boarding teacher,	2 00
Mae O'Brien, teaching, No. 12,	43 00
Emma Ryley, teaching, No. 12,	17 45
Emma Ryley, teaching, No. 12,	39 55
Daisy Crossett, teaching and janitor,	60 00
Hazel Clarke, cleaning, No. 13,	1 50
Prentiss Britton, mileage,	5 17
Irvin Clarke, janitor, No. 12,	2 75
Winifred Yeaton, teaching,	18 00
Myra Morrill, teaching, No. 12,	28 00
Myra Morrill, teaching, No. 12,	21 00
Myra Morrill, teaching, No. 12,	21 00
Winifred Yeaton, teaching, No. 12,	33 00
Winifred Yeaton, teaching, No. 12,	37 00
Geo. A. Messer, repairs,	1 22
Herbert Jones, services as truant officer and six cords wood,	22 50
Walter Wilson, janitor,	3 50
Daisy Crossett, teaching and janitor,	68 00
Isaac Craig, wood and kindlings,	4 00
Myra Morrill, teaching and janitor,	22 00
Daisy Crossett, teaching, No. 13,	40 00
Maude Patterson, teaching, No. 12,	32 40
Harold Fitzgibbon, janitor,	4 00
Winifred Yeaton, teaching,	27 00
Winifred Yeaton, teaching,	44 05

G. A. Mayo, telephoning, etc.,	2 80
L. P. Forristall, wood,	3 40
H. E. Page, wood, No. 6,	10 25
E. P. Hatch, wood, No. 5,	2 50
Anna Stoddard, teaching,	25 00
Mrs. Castor, papering school room,	2 00
Bert Evans, shingles delivered,	14 85
C. D. Smith, labor, self and team,	3 30
W. O. Blake, labor and material,	15 71
Merl Page, janitor,	2 00
Anna Stoddard, teaching and supplies,	55 30
Irene Hall, mileage,	2 50
Ernest Whipple, mileage,	70
Edgar Jeffits, mileage,	3 75
Rachel Robbins, teaching and janitor,	69 00
J. Tyler Clark, labor on No. 6,	17 50
Mrs. Oliver Pratt, cleaning,	3 00
Chas. Friehofer, labor on No. 5,	13 25
Mrs. Oliver Pratt, work on No. 5,	50
J. H. Dickey, paint stock,	22 65
Eva Still, teaching,	25 00
Mabel Cole, teaching, No. 5,	25 00
Mabel Cole, teaching, No. 5,	10 00
C. D. Smith, labor and material,	11 70
Mrs. Geo. Conant, board of teacher,	27 50
Rachel Robbins, teaching, No. 6,	71 50
Mrs. Frank Dewing, board,	11 00
Mabel Cole, teaching, No. 5,	21 00
Eva Still, teaching, No. 7,	40 00
O. W. Blake, janitor, No. 7,	2 00
W. O. Blake, wood, No. 7,	8 00
Merl Page, janitor, No. 6,	2 00
Florence Smith, mileage,	2 15
Clara Smith, mileage,	2 30
Irene Hall, mileage,	2 15
Frank Clark, work in schoolhouse,	2 80
Lizzie Aldrich, teaching, No. 5,	20 00

J. H. Dickey, bill,	6 24
Mrs. Oliver Pratt, work, No. 6,	50
Merl Page, banking schoolhouse,	1 00
Willis Crabtree, wood, No. 5,	6 75
Irene Hall, mileage,	2 25
Rachel Robbins, teaching, No. 6,	31 00
Chas. Friehofer, labor and material,	1 00
Rachel Robbins, teaching and janitor,	52 00
Irene Hall, mileage,	2 15
Lizzie Aldrich, teaching, No. 5,	50 00
Eva Still, teaching, No. 7,	65 00
Merl Page, janitor,	2 00
Oscar Pratt, janitor,	2 00
H. C. Cogell, labor on No. 7,	2 00
H. E. Page, wood, 4 cords,	18 00
Alfred Morrill, salary as superintendent,	68 75
Oliver Pratt, work,	1 50
A. B. Morrill, salary as superintendent,	22 92
A. B. Morrill, salary as superintendent,	22 92
Harriett Brown, teaching,	90 00
Miss Barnes, teaching,	80 00
H. L. Randall, school supplies,	40
Harold Newell, janitor,	1 00
John Croto, mileage, 4 children,	30 00
Herbert Green, mileage, 3 children,	6 05
A. B. Morrill, salary as superintendent,	22 92
A. B. Morrill, salary as superintendent,	22 92
Edward E. Babb Co., school supplies,	2 88
Mrs. Porter, cleaning, etc.,	5 00
Oliver Pratt, work,	1 50
Atkinson, Mentzer & Gowen,	1 60
A. B. Morrill, salary as superintendent,	22 92
C. D. Smith, repairs,	2 00
S. G. Anderson, repairs,	1 25
S. G. Anderson, repairs,	80
A. B. Morrill, salary as superintendent,	22 92
A. B. Morrill, school supplies,	8 93

A. B. Morrill, salary as superintendent,	22 92
Marion Davidson, teaching,	99 00
Harriett Brown, teaching,	99 00
Fred Prentiss, mileage, 4 children,	11 00
A. B. Morrill, salary as superintendent,	22 92
Mrs. Porter, cleaning and sweeping,	5 50
H. L. Randall, school supplies,	90
A. B. Morrill, salary as superintendent,	22 92
A. B. Morrill, supplies,	9 80
J. Croto, mileage, 4 children,	33 00
Herbert Green, mileage, fall term,	6 60
Marion Davidson, teaching,	81 00
J. Croto, mileage, 4 children,	27 00
Harriett Brown, teaching,	81 00
Harold Newell, janitor,	2 00
E. C. Eastman, books,	2 39
Mrs. A. M. Ayer, tuition,	4 45
J. L. Hammitt Co., supplies,	4 48
Myra Morrill, teaching, East Alstead,	2 80
A. B. Morrill, salary as superintendent,	22 92
C. J. Newell, wood,	13 75
Silver, Burdett & Co., supplies,	1 00
Hinds & Noble, supplies,	2 10
W. D. Knowlton, repairing clock,	1 50
Town of Surry, tuition to Keene,	26 00
American Book Co., supplies,	6 95
Milton Bradley, supplies,	33 30
Orville Brown Co., supplies,	1 20
C. J. Newell, supplies,	7 60
Henry Metcalf, supplies,	1 10
Fred Prentiss, mileage, 4 children,	9 00
Mrs. Porter, janitor,	5 00
Herbert Green, mileage,	5 40

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REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

To the School Board of Alstead:

I herewith present to you, and through you to the citizens of Alstead, the sixth annual report of the superintendent of schools.

STATISTICAL TABLE—AUGUST, 1906, TO AUGUST, 1907.

SCHOOL.	TEACHERS.	Whole No. enrolled.	Average membership.	Average attendance.	Per cent of attendance.	No. cases of tardiness.	Wages per month	No. visitors.
Alstead Gram....	{ Josie Drown, Fall and Winter Alice J. Barnes, Spring..... }	26	19+	18	93	60	\$36	75
Alstead Primary	Harriet G. Brown.....	40	26	24+	93	49	36	110
E. Alstead Gram.	{ Emma L. Pollard, Fall and [winter Mae J. O'Brien, Spring..... }	16	9	8—	86	32	30	68
E. Alstead Prim.	Emma E. Riley.....	22	17—	14	84	10	30	134
Forristall.....	{ J. Florence Buffum, Fall and [Winter Anna B. Stoddard, Spring..... }	23	20	17	84	69	34	51
Alstead Center..	{ Eva M. Still, Fall..... Charlotte M. Belknap, Winter }	18	14	12	85	53	28	30
Division 13.....	{ Evelyn A. Page, Fall and [Winter Daisy M. Crossett, Spring..... }	8	6+	6—	95	4	26	41
South Alstead..	{ Lottie A. Kemp, Fall..... Rachel I. Robbins, Spring..... }	16	9	8	89	65	26	20

REVENUE.

All schools of New Hampshire receive revenue from three sources.

(1.) School money required by law.—This is found by multiplying the apportioned ratio in the general state tax by 750. Thus Concord in a recent year paid \$68.26 in every \$1,000 of the general state levy. Hence Concord raised for school purposes, $\$68.26 \times 750$ equals \$51,195.

(2.) Literary fund.—This source is not correctly named. It is really the annual income from taxes upon deposits and stocks in savings banks, loan and trust companies, of persons who do not live in the state or whose residence is unknown. This revenue is distributed among the districts in direct proportion to the number of pupils five years of age and over who have attended school at least two weeks during the previous year.

(3.) Dog tax.—The proceeds of the dog tax are applied, first to pay for damages done by dogs to domestic animals. The balance is available by law for the support of schools. The literary fund and the dog tax each amount to about \$40,000 per year, for the whole state.

A district may receive revenue from one or more of the following five sources.

(4.) Additional local taxation.—Every district may raise more than the amount required by law. The average raised in this way throughout the state is about one-half as much as that required by law.

(5.) Equalization fund.—\$18,750 is annually distributed among the poorer districts of the state in direct ratio to the number of children in average attendance, and in inverse ratio to the equalized valuation per pupil.

(6.) High school tuition.—Districts not maintaining high schools receive a rebate from the state for tuition paid by them, in approved high schools or academies, provided their school tax is \$3.50 or more on one thousand dollars and their general tax is \$16.50 or more on one thousand. The rebate increases as the rate of general tax increases.

(7.) Superintendent's salary.—Districts uniting with others to form supervisory unions receive as a rebate, one-half of the salary of the superintendent.

(8.) Local funds.—Local endowment funds have been given to some districts, the income of which is available for school purposes.

Alstead received revenue from six of these eight sources. No share of the equalization fund is available for us, as our equalized valuation per pupil of average attendance is too high, and no rebate of high school tuition would be made, as our tax rate is lower than that established by law as necessary to secure the rebate.

The average additional money raised for schools throughout the state in 1906, the last year for which there is a report, was almost exactly one-half the sum required by law, and the amount expended for books and supplies was one-tenth of the amount required by law.

If Alstead should make appropriations on this basis, the amounts would be as follows:

Required by law, (1908)	\$1,395 00
Additional,	700 00
Books and supplies,	130 00

These sums with the known amounts available from the other sources would enable the school board to make many needed improvements. But above all it would enable them to employ trained teachers and to retain those of known and tried ability. With such an appropriation I believe we could lengthen the school year one or two weeks.

In this connection I wish to give an extract from the last report of the state superintendent of public instruction.

“In any study of the economy of school administration one of the most important considerations, if not indeed the basal consideration of all, is the principle that teacher's salaries and, to a less extent, suitable apparatus should absorb as much as possible of the total expenditure and all other matters as little as possible. It is difficult to fix a hard and

fast proportion which teachers' salaries ought to bear to total expenditures. Generally speaking, it may be said that the experience of the country seems to indicate that where teachers' salaries, except under unusual and special conditions fall below seventy per cent of the total expenditure, it is time to see if something is not wrong. Every dollar saved on coal, wood, paper, pencils, etc., and placed to the credit of teachers' salaries is a point gained in the interests of truly economical administration."

The proportion of our expenditure for teachers salaries last year was only a little less than that of the state as a whole, 66 per cent. But where we have so many small schools, it may properly work toward the ideal 70 per cent. I believe this is the way of true economy in the production of the best schools possible for our town,—to use the most exacting care in all expenditures for other things, but to be generous in the salaries of teachers. The best teachers can command good salaries. And it is the teacher more than any other force that makes the school.

OUR NEEDS.

Aside from our need of more trained and experienced teachers, we need text books in English, in reading and in physiology. Various small repairs are necessary to keep our school property from deteriorating. The value of more beautiful school rooms in moulding the lives of our young people has been receiving attention of late. This, however, must come as a growth from within. The teachers must in connection with their stress upon study and conduct, find time to improve the appearance of the school rooms and school grounds. Some plans have been considered in this line which I hope will in due time bear fruit.

TEACHERS.

There has been much work done by the teachers of the most efficient and valuable kind. And the hard working

teacher is the one who gets the most work out of her school. I am in favor of retaining as long as possible those teachers who have proved their fitness and are getting good results, for their knowledge of the needs of the school makes their service of much more value for another year.

Only one teacher, Miss Crossett of No. 13, who was in our schools last June went on with the same school in the fall. To be sure Miss Brown changed from the primary to the grammar grades of the village school so that her knowledge of the schools was not lost to the town. Under the care of Miss Brown and Miss Davidson these schools are now in splendid conditions, and I hope to be able to retain their services for a series of years.

The same may be said of other schools in town. Our record in retaining teachers has not been satisfactory, however, and I hope to be able to report improvement in this respect.

CONCLUSION.

Parents may help in increasing the importance of the schools in the eyes of the pupils by visiting schools more frequently. For all that has been done in this and other ways the teachers are thankful. The schools are so important and so vital a matter in the life of the community that improvement must be sought in every way possible. I hope to have "visiting days" during the spring term, when parents may be invited in to school. In this way parents and teachers and pupils and superintendent may become better acquainted. But above all the schools may have more influence moulding and inspiring the lives of our young people.

With thanks for the earnestness of teachers, for the helpfulness and sympathy of the school board, and for the enthusiasm and loyalty of all the pupils, which have helped to make my work pleasant, this report is respectfully submitted.

ALFRED B. MORRILL.

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand, Feb. 15, 1907,	\$12 39
Cash received from town,	53 00
Cash received from Fanny Carpenter fund,	32 29
Cash received from fines,	5 42
	\$103 10

EXPENDITURES.

Cash paid for books,	\$56 01
Freight on books,	1 42
Paid for carrying books to East Alstead,	5 00
	\$62 43
Cash on hand, Feb. 15, 1908,	\$40 67

Respectfully submitted,

FRED J. MARVIN, Chairman,
 SARAH J. FISH, Secretary,
 HENRY A. LOVELL,
 R. F. OLIVER, M. D.,
 MRS. LUCY LINSLEY,
 JOHN P. KEMP,

Trustees.

VITAL STATISTICS.

To the Selectmen :

In compliance with an act of the legislature, passed June session, 1887, amended by the legislature of 1899, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1907.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.							
Jan. 26		F	L	George H. Comstock	Katie Lombard	Farmer	Walpole	Keene	27	23
Mar. 24	Delmer Lewellyn	M	L	Rollin A. Booth, Jr.	Lula M. Homer	Laborer	Walpole	Faltee, Vt.	29	29
Apr. 5		M	L	John Allen	Lena L. Smith	Farmer	Bariston	Alstead	24	42
Apr. 1		M	L	Fred Prentiss	Jennie Roberts	Farmer	Walpole	Putney, Vt.	42	37
May 2	Drewsella Vivian	F	L	George W. Peno	Anna B. Crandlemer	Laborer	Charlestown	Brookfield, N. B.	38	36
May 14		F	L	Henry C. Metcalf	Mabel M. Hatch	Merchant	E. Lempster	Alstead	26	19
May 19	Vera Madaline	F	L	Geo. C. Alexander	Stella Carpenter	Lumberman	Gilsum	Alstead	25	33
June 3		F	L	Fred Freihofer	Caroline Asteroth	Farmer	Germany	Surry	33	27
June 26	Jezeskatcz	F	L	Mike Nagencucz	Kaste Kevazewicz	Farmer	Germany	Germany	39	35
Aug. 6		F	L	Alfred M. S. Smith	L. Eldora Leet	Laborer	Russia	Russia	39	35
Aug. 19		M	L	John Riordan	Augusta Birchell	Farmer	Alstead	Northboro, Mass.	31	30
Oct. 28	Inez Abbie	F	L	Fred W. Hodskins	Dora V. Smith	Farmer	Almond, Ca.	New York, N. Y.	44	42
Nov. 1	Nellie Mae	F	L	Rollin S. Craige	Ethel May Howard	Laborer	Walpole	Stoddard	23	23
Nov. 18	Flora Isa	F	L	Isaac A. Craig	Emma O. Wright	Farmer	Andover, Vt.	E. Alstead	28	21
Dec. 13		M	L	Horace C. Hard	Jessie Bridges	Teamster	Newport	Lebanon	34	37
Dec. 15	Peter Frederick	M	L	Peter F. Kehoe	Lula Trask	Farmer	Newfoundland	Peru, N. Y.	29	23
								Lyndeborough	28	25

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1907.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Jan. 26	Charlestown	Henry O. Porter	Alstead	30	Farmer	Warren, Vt.	Julius H. Porter	Warren	2d	Rev. E. T. Blake Charlestown
		Florence M. Lund	Alstead	26	Housekeeper	Gilsum	Byron Lund	.	2d	
Feb. 28	Alstead	Richard L. Royce	Hopedale, Ms.	25	Draftsman	Wales, Mass.	Andrew Royce		1st	Rev. Oliver Brown Alstead
		Evelyn Annie Page	Alstead	21	Teacher	Concord, Vt.	Hiram Page		1st	
June 19	Walpole	Edward A. Tracy	Keene	30	Physician	Island Pond, Vt.	John E. Tracy	Ireland	1st	Rev. J. Creeden Charlestown
		Blanche M. Chapin	Alstead	21		Walpole	Herbert B. Chapin	Williamsville, Vt.	1st	
Sept. 25	Alstead	George E. Porter	Alstead	30	Farmer	Alstead	Charles E. Porter	Brighton, Mass.	1st	Rev. F. Leavitt Rockingham Vt
		Irva M. Cater	Alstead	24	Housekeeper	Alstead	George E. Cater	Alstead	1st	
Dec. 17	Chesterfield	Fred C. Fiffeld	Alstead	21	Farmer	Alstead	Edwin F. Fiffeld	Bellevue Falls, Vt.	1st	Chas. Rivier, J. P. Chesterfield
		Olive H. Emerson	Walpole	19	Housework	Bellevue Falls, Vt.	Arthur L. Emerson	Alstead	1st	

* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1907.

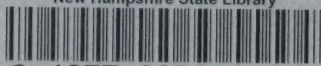
Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Sex and Cond'n		Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	
		Years.	Months.			Days.	Male or Female.	S, M, W.	Father.			Mother.
Jan. 3	Nancy S. Lewis	78	8	7	Walpole	F	W	Alstead	Francis Snow	— Foster		
Jan. 4	Mary Etta Chandler	73	7	3	Alstead	F	W	Alstead	Allen Slade	— Kingsbury		
Jan. 11	Harvey D. Dickey	66	11	17	Acworth	M	W	Acworth	Joseph Dickey	Sally Grant		
Jan. 13	Eliza Wild Barney	61	5	25	Cornish	F	W	Dummerston	John Weld	Ann Bartlett		
Jan. 24	Florence B. Clark	27	2	24	Alstead	F	S	Walpole	Frank W. Clark	Laura V. French		
Jan. 28	Martha A. Browne	82	9	9	Marlow	F	W	Greenfield	James Ramsey	Nancy Tenney		
Feb. 7	Fannie M. Greene	32	5	21	Langdon	F	W	Mason	Ira J. Robbins	— Pitcher		
Feb. 22	Caroline A. Colburn	64	6	14	Charlestown	F	W	Hinsdale	Gardner C. Cutler	Olive H. Watts		
Feb. 26	Nettie Gates	42	1	15	Alstead	F	W	Alstead	Andrew Morrison	— Kidder		
Feb. 26	Leon Milford Royce	9	8	19	Cambridgeport, Vt.	M	S	East Alstead	Milan D. Royce	Nellie-T. Andrews		
May 5	Julia V. Morrison	69	6	21	Alstead	F	W	Alstead	Nelson Kidder	Sophia George		
June 15	Mary E. Dinsmore	83	6	11	Hinesburg, Vt.	F	W	Alstead	Guy Spencer	Mary Warner		
Sept. 1	Martha J. Kidder	64	5	11	Alstead	F	M	Alstead	Wm. Richardson	Ruth Hemenway		
Sept. 11	Edw. P. Hatch	65	9	11	Alstead	M	M	Alstead	•			
Dec. 10	Frank D. Messer	49	1	5	Alstead	M	M	Alstead	William H. Messer	Lucy A. Pierce		
Dec. 16	Edmund Dinsmore	75	11	29	Alstead	M	W	Alstead	Calvin Dinsmore	Lucy Walker		
Dec. 25	Edith F. French	55	5	5	Gilsun	F	M	Gilsun	Cladius B. Heyward	Eliza Dart		
Dec. 29	Lucy Ann Beal	92	4	12	Derby, Vt.	F	W	Boscawen	Friendly Coutsier	Joann Kidder		

* Single, married or widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRED L. PRENTISS,
Town Clerk.

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